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## **DRAINAGE WORK ON HIGHWAY 17 NORTH OF SANTA CRUZ STARTS SUNDAY**

**SANTA CRUZ** – Crews will begin a project to install a new culvert on Hwy. 17, seven miles north of Santa Cruz, between Crescent Dr. north and W. Vinehill Rd. south this Sunday, June 10, Caltrans officials announced.

The majority of work will be overnight with the following work hours:

**Northbound:** Sunday from 9 pm to 4:30 am, Monday through Thursday from 8 pm to 4:30 am. Some daytime work may occur from 10am to 2pm Monday through Thursday.

**Southbound:** Sunday from 10pm to 7am. Monday through Thursday from 9pm to 7am.

There is a chance some daytime work can occur from 8:30am to 12 noon Monday through Thursday.

One lane will remain open at all times. Up to 15-minute delays are expected. The project is expected to be complete by the end of June. This \$108,000 job is being done by Norwood Construction from Byron, CA.

Caltrans reminds motorists that 'we're here to get you there'.

For traffic updates on other state highway projects in Santa Cruz County, the public can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 831-423-0396 or visit the District 5 website at:

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upscr.htm>.

